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**EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
RECOMMENDATION**

SR-95-96-64 (EC)

Recommends approval of the following:

Summer School Proposal

Minimum Enrollments:

In Summer 1996, the only criterion for determining whether or not a class will be canceled will be the following minimum enrollments:

100/200 Level Classes	8 students	400/500 Level Classes	5 students
300/400 Level Classes	5 students	Graduate Classes	3 students

These enrollment minimums should enable us to keep more low-enrollment classes than we could in the past.

This would replace for Summer 1996 the current Summer School Policy for minimum enrollments/class size.

Class sizes will be determined by 4:00 p.m. of the summer term's first class day and reported to the appropriate Dean before 4:30 p.m. of that day.

RATIONALE:

The policy for this year is the first step in a summer school policy designed to stabilize summer school scheduling and funding.

On the average according to analysis from Institutional Research, a summer class should have a minimum enrollment of 14 students to meet its cost.

At the end of Summer 1996, Institutional Research will ascertain the average class enrollment of the Summer 1996 session, to see if the minimum enrollments as described above enable us to meet an on-average figure of 14 students/class.

We think that Summer 96 will meet this average, and that we can then recommend maintaining the above minimum enrollments for future Summer Schools.

We believe the most academic units can meet the average of 14/class even with the lower minimum enrollments as listed above. The Deans should be given flexibility as to how the "average" is achieved in the college or school.

The average of 14 students/class will be the objective for future Summer School sessions. The average will need to be established within the academic unit.

FACULTY SENATE PRESIDENT:

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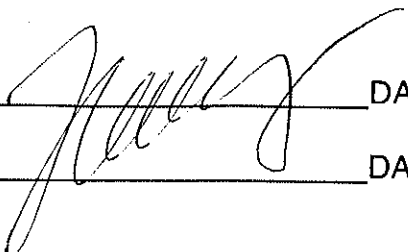
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